

GET THE RED CROSS MOOD, IS URGED BY BIG SHOW MANAGER

Whole Hatful of Money for Willamette Chapter is Purpose of "Country Fair" Which Is Dated for March 22 and 23—Startling Features Preparing

It's up to you: get the Red-Cross mood! Rummage around in your attic, your woodshed, basement or other storage place and bring out that red, yet discarded piece of furniture, clocks, pieces of bric-a-brac, old coins, clothing, shoes, or anything of that nature that you do not need.

If you have nothing of this sort, bring a kitten, cat, dog, puppy, hamster, hen with chickens, canary birds, rabbits, pigs, cows, calves, horses, colts, geese, fruits, canned or otherwise, vegetables, or anything that you can spare in the livestock or food line.

Get them together and be prepared to bring them to Salem on or before March 22 to place them on sale for the benefit of Willamette chapter of the American Red Cross. For Willamette a chapter is going to pull off a genuine "Country Fair" at the Willamette chapter on March 22 and 23, and great preparations are under way to make it the biggest success that has ever happened.

There is a reason. This is not going to be any half-way country fair proposition. It is going to be full fledged in every respect, from the old-fashioned or down-to-date country store, with the proverbial Reuben sitting out in front, whittling and "chewin' for the crowd," to the signs, displays, and all of the characteristic of the country store you read about in the "Whitecomb Riley, Josh Billings, Mark Twain and Bill Nye stories. There will be everything imaginable on sale and the store will be in charge of a typical Yankee or Missouri cross-roads storekeeper.

There is a reason for this new and novel departure. Willamette chapter needs the money and it proposes to raise nothing less than \$10,000 in this manner. It will not be satisfied with less than \$15,000 and can get along pretty well with \$20,000. So don't be a laggard, slacker or quitter, but begin right now to get into the "Red Cross mood," as Mrs. J. A. Carson says, and be prepared to do your part, either in producing the stock of "merchandise" for the store or to be on hand with your purse open to patronize the patriotic enterprise generously.

Yes, and the country store is not going to be the only feature of pleasure, surprise and profit. Not by a long way. There is going to be a big "Country Fair" in every way the moment suggests or implies. Among the big features of amusement (also profit) will be the auction sale, conducted in the old-fashioned way and by a dred-in-the-wool auctioneer who knows how to conduct the affair in a manner that will at the same time please and satisfy you.

It's Wide Open.

There will be booths of all kinds, wherein will be on display and for sale everything imaginable from a canary bird or mess of kittens or trips to a team of draft horses, to mess, wagon and all. There will be the games of chance, conducted in an innocent and highly amusing way, doll baby racks, cane rack, fortune tellers, side shows, and there will be barbers, sharpers, surething guys and such galore.

The country store will be organized and pulled off under the direction of Mrs. Irwin Griffith. The eating emporium, for every well-connected country fair has its "hot dog," ham-and, etc., feature, had the one which will be put on by Mrs. Thomas Burrows upon this occasion will be the first class order. Regular Monday meals will be served at this restaurant on both Friday and Saturday, March 22 and 23, and a dinner will be served in cafeteria style on Friday evening. Everything will take place at the armory and it will be pulled off in the latest approved style.

Aside from the two lectures just mentioned, the whole country fair management and arrangement falls upon the capable shoulders of Mrs. J. A. Carson, and anyone who thinks that she is going to fall in this or anything else that she undertakes has another guess coming. For there is no such work as "fall" in Mrs. Carson's vocabulary and she says she can't afford to learn any new words at this day and stage of the game—especially the war game.

Team Work Urged.

However satisfied Mrs. Carson is that the country fair is going to be a success, it is going to take a whole lot of work to pull it off and this work has to be "team work" with a "T." There has got to be lots of pep, get together and push on the part of everybody identified or interested in any way in the Red Cross work, or interested in its success, which, in a large measure, means the success of the war for America and her allied countries, must needs get in the Red Cross mood and get out and hustle and boost for all he or she is worth.

A small town of less than 3000 inhabitants in the east pulled off a country fair and public auction for the benefit of the Red Cross recently

and netted the local chapter the tidy sum of \$2000. If a little town like that can realize that amount of money on a patriotic stunt of that kind, what can a big, progressive, thrifty and enterprising city of Salem's caliber do? Well, if Willamette chapter does not realize \$20,000 out of this country fair it will be too bad; if it does not get \$15,000 it will be a shame, and if it does not secure no less than \$10,000 it will be little short of a disgrace.

Hustle is Necessary.

It simply means that every Red Cross auxiliary to Willamette chapter has got to get on its working duds and get a hustle on; this applies to every auxiliary but more especially those auxiliaries which have not as yet arrived at the "self-sustaining stage," for the chapter simply is not going to get along without its splendid record of great achievement and this is a most excellent opportunity to secure it. The country auxiliaries have always come to the front in every movement of this nature and the chapter officers have not the slightest doubt that they can be depended upon in this emergency and necessity, and it will be up to the city, town and community auxiliaries to keep pace with the outside organizations.

So, from now on, everybody must think "Country Fair" and act and breathe "Country Fair" and help to make Willamette chapter's coming Red Cross "Country Fair" the biggest and best success of anything that has ever been attempted here or any place else, which, by the way, is saying a whole lot, for they certainly do things right whenever they "get aroused" in this neck of the woods. Get busy now, call up Mrs. Carson at headquarters for particulars and assignment to duty and, whatever you do, get the Red Cross mood.

owned corporations. He also urged that the alien property custodian's act should be subject to review. Senator Martin opposed the amendment, which is subject to a final vote later, on the ground that it might handicap Mr. Palmer's action.

Surprise over the debating of the question of treaty restrictions in view of Germany's utter disregard of treaties or property rights not only of the countries she has invaded, but also those of neutrals, was voiced during the debate by Senator Poindexter of Washington, who asked if the treaty of 1799 was any more sacred than that between Germany and Belgium or the others which Germany has regarded as "scraps of paper."

BIG AUDIENCE IS PRESENT TO HEAR OFFICER

Colonel John Leader Tells How Germans Might Raid Pacific Coast

BATTLES ARE DESCRIBED

Heroic Story of Irish and Canadians Is Told in Army Address

That will be the happiest day the world ever saw when the streets of Berlin shake to the tread of the American armies and they sing "Wacht am Rhein Spangled Banner. I hope to God your brave soldiers may return to America under the banners they went into battle under.—Colonel John Leader.

Humorous to the point of bubbling over with fun—so funny, in fact, that he could hardly help smiling out loud at some of his own jokes—so pathetic at times his hearers could almost see the shells that struck down his companions in battle. Colonel John Leader, ranking officer of the British army in the United States, as military instructor at the University of Oregon, held spell bound a large audience last night at the armory. His lecture was given under the auspices of the Salem Home Guard for the benefit of Willamette chapter, Red Cross.

Introduced by Governor.

In introducing Colonel Leader to the audience, Governor Withycombe remarked that the colonel had a message to deliver that was 100 per cent American, and it was five minutes before the ovation in honor of the colonel as he stepped to the front of the platform had subsided sufficiently for him to be heard.

In opening his speech, the colonel said he had prepared a speech but like the school boy he had forgotten every line of it, which created roars of laughter.

"Of course," he said, "I am from Ireland, and look at war with an Irishman's pre-disposition for a fight—if it is a good one—and the struggle now is worthy our reputation."

The speaker gave a few humorous incidents which occurred in France about the time he met General Pershing. In speaking of protection at home he said that the German emperor had been assured on reliable authority from this country that between 400,000 and 500,000 loyal Germans, patriots of the Fatherland who could be mobilized through agents in the United States armed and equipped and gain entrance through Chile and other South American states over unprotected American borders on the Pacific coast.

War Terms Illustrated.

He gave definitions and illustrations of various military expressions such as "camouflage" and "barrage fire," and imitated the rattle of machine guns, or the flying shells and shrapnell. He described as he climbed into one of two trees standing in a field just before a battle, the approach of shells, the toppling over of the other tree in which were some of his own officers, the terrible suspense just before the charge of his regiment.

He described in detail the taking of the first, second and third trenches of the enemy, while he could hear the mellow voices of the Germans advancing as they sang "Der Wacht am Rhein," answered by his own Irishmen in their national battle hymn. After the battle he sent back over 3000 German prisoners, but out of his entire regiment only 2600 returned alive. These were the Irish and Canadians who bore the brunt of a long line of battle.

Happiest Day Foretold.

Closing his address the colonel said:

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Preliminary to the address of Leader, the high school cadets gave an exhibition drill in the hall near the platform and were loudly cheered, especial praise being brought out from Colonel Leader and other visiting soldiers.

Hunt's jazz orchestra, Miss Ada Miller and John Meeger gave musical numbers while the audience awaited the arrival of Colonel Leader and the governor.

MONTANA JUDGE RESIGNS BEFORE IMPEACHMENT

C. L. Crum Admits He Was Careless in Criticizing Government

DISLOYALTY IS DENIED

Legislative Board to Decide Whether Impeachment Shall Proceed

HELENA, Mont., March 11.—Governor Stewart today telegraphed the board of managers of the Montana house of representatives on the Crum impeachment case, and the senate committee in charge of the case, to meet here Thursday to consider whether the impeachment shall proceed.

Judge Charles L. Crum of Forsyth whose appearance before the bar of the upper chamber was ordered by the Montana house last month, today filed his resignation as judge of the fifteenth judicial district with the governor. Judge Crum is said to be "critically ill."

Disloyal acts and utterances were charged by the house. In his letter of resignation, Judge Crum says in part:

"This action on my part is not a confession that I have been guilty of any crime. In fact, I have violated no law and have not been guilty of any malfeasance or misfeasance in office.

"My action simply means that there is a limit to human endurance and that I have reached that limit.

"I also feel that a trial of my case would simply provide an opportunity for certain people to pose before the house and in the press as super-patriots. It would inflame the public mind and cost the state of Montana many thousands of dollars. It would do this at a time when the state needs every available dollar and when the people, instead of fighting among themselves, present a solid front to the common enemy.

"It may be possible that I have made some careless and reckless statements or criticisms of the policy adopted and followed by the present administration, but I have never meant or intended at any time to be in the least disloyal to the American government."

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IN "FIGHTING ODDS"

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"On the other hand, when that principle is forgotten, evil may be spread with trade rapidity. Take, for instance, what harm has been done in a few months, when the church, the religious sentiment in the schools and in the army and navy has been abolished! The great majority of the country, in becoming unholily, forgetting to be guided by the mystic elements, has thus become quite transformed for the worse. Our navy and army, which have so often astonished the whole world with their self-sacrifice and courage, and were admired even by Napoleon the Great, in a few weeks became paralyzed forgetting God, every sense of duty, and the most elementary patriotism, and have almost become hateful to Russians who loved them so dearly till the outbreak of the revolution.

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PROPERTY IN U. S. OF HUNS TO BE SOLD

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make this inquiry, for if the amendment conflicted with the treaty he did not think the United States "should follow a bad example in the treatment of our obligations as scraps of paper."

Legislation is Proper.

"The proud thing in our history is the fact that the United States adheres even if it might be to its great disadvantage to its solemn faith and pledge," Senator Stone added. "I wanted to look into this matter. As a result of my investigations, I concluded that this legislation was proper and hence was taking no part in the discussion."

In urging his amendment providing for public auction sales of enemy property, prohibiting private negotiations, Senator Frelinghuysen said his purpose was to protect American minority stock interests in German-

AMERICANS DRIVE THROUGH GERMANS

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in an attempt to launch pontoons for an attack on the Italian lines. The French have been in scattered encounters with the Germans at various points along their part of the front, but nowhere has there been serious fighting. A further bombardment of Rheims cathedral may be expected for the Germans report that a French observation post on that almost ruined shrine has been detected.

The 27 squadrons have been busy of late. The most spectacular of these operations was made by the Teuton army who raided Naples, the largest city in Italy. It may be that they started from their bases on the eastern shores of the Adriatic and flew over the sea and across Italy in their raid. British raiders have dropped large quantities of bombs on military points in Belgium while the allied armies have been active in Italy.

Income Tax Officer Will Be Stationed in Salem

Milton A. Miller, Internal Revenue Collector, Announces That 'Puck' Little, an Income Tax Officer, Will Be Stationed at the Marion county court house from March 13 to 16.

Income tax officers are being stationed at different points about the state as a result of requests made to the internal revenue department for assistance in final preparation of income tax, corporation tax and excess profits tax returns.

The treasury department has extended the time for filing income tax returns to April 1, 1918. April 1 and extensive "drive" will be made, taking in the entire state, and heavy penalties will attach where persons liable to the tax have failed to disclose their liability and to make return on or before April 1, 1918.

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Wisconsin Candidate Quits Because Socialist Did

WILKAUKEE, Wis., March 11.—Former Governor Francis E. McGovern, who has been a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator at the primary election March 19, late today filed with the secretary of state a notice of his withdrawal from the race, and placed himself at the service of Congressman Irvine L. Lenroot, for the nomination.

Mr. McGovern, in a statement announcing his withdrawal, says his action is based on the indictment of Victor L. Berger, Socialist candidate, which "practically removes him (Berger) from the list of candidates."

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Soldiers to Exercise and Fight Disease

CAMP LEWIS, Tacoma, Wash., March 11.—One hour's physical exercise a day to keep the men in condition and preserve health standard made by the 31st division, with its low incidence of disease as compared with other army cantonments, was ordered for all officers and privates at Camp Lewis today by Major General H. A. Greene, commander.

The exercise must be for one hour, continuously, and the men on duty in the various offices began their physical exercises this morning. The order follows:

"All members of this command are hereby directed to take not less than one hour's vigorous physical exercise daily. This exercise may consist of any form which will attain the result desired but must be continuous for the time specified. The exercise derived from drill, marches, field exercise, etc., will be considered as a compliance with the order.

We were glad to visit the reservation again. "And what has become of the old Chief Crazy Horse? "Well he ain't seen in these parts now. But here is his son, Re-fractory Automobile." — Louisville Courier-Journal.

Dear Old Lady—And do tell me, my poor man, what was the most horrible sight you ever saw while in the trenches? "Wounded Warrior—The sergeant's face when I knocked over 'um ration.—Ideas.

Triangle Presents

MARGERY WILSON

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A Red Cross helper unwittingly stumbles upon German intrigue hidden in her letters

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